

*sustains a permanent injury. The average weekly wages of any such prisoner shall be the average weekly wages or remuneration which the employer pays for the labor of said prisoner whether to the institution or the prisoner, or both; and the Workmen's Compensation Commission in awarding compensation in cases of injuries to prisoners in the course of their employment, shall direct that all of the compensation for which the employer of said prisoner is liable hereunder, shall be paid to the institution in which the said prisoner is confined at the time of his injury, and of the compensation paid to any such institution under the provisions of this article, the institution shall retain a sum equal to the average weekly amount received by said institution (if the compensation shall amount to so much) for the labor of said prisoner over and above any bonus received by or for the use of said prisoner, and the surplus of any such compensation, if any, shall be credited to and belong to the injured prisoner. All money credited to the account of the injured prisoner shall be held by the Director of the institution in which said prisoner is confined until said prisoner is released from said institution. The prisoner shall not have the use of any of said money except in cases of extreme hardship and with the consent and recommendation of the Director of said institution.*

*For the purposes of this sub-title, all of the money expended by the Department of Correction to maintain the penal system based on a cost per man per day shall be considered the cost of board and maintenance of a prisoner.*

SECTION 35. (A) WHENEVER ANY PRISONER IN THE MARYLAND PENITENTIARY, HOUSE OF CORRECTION OR ANY OTHER INSTITUTION UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTION SHALL BE ENGAGED IN ANY EXTRA-HAZARDOUS EMPLOYMENT WITHIN THE MEANING OF THIS ARTICLE FOR WHICH WAGES OR A STIPULATED SUM ARE PAID BY SAID INSTITUTION THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE APPLICABLE THERETO ONLY IF SAID PRISONER SUSTAINS A PERMANENT PARTIAL OR PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY AS A RESULT OF SAID INJURY, AND THE AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES OF ANY SUCH PRISONER INJURED IN THE COURSE OF HIS OR HER EMPLOYMENT SHALL BE THE AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGES PAID BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO SUCH PRISONER, AND IN ADDITION THERETO, A FAIR AND REASONABLE SUM TO BE DETERMINED BY THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE BOARD AND MAINTENANCE OF SUCH PRISONER NOT TO EXCEED THE AMOUNT CUSTOMARILY RECEIVED BY THE INSTITUTION FOR ITS OWN USE BY PRISONERS ENGAGED IN EXTRA-HAZARDOUS EMPLOYMENT BY OTHER EMPLOYERS.

(B) ALL CLAIMS SHALL BE FILED WITH THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION COMMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE. THE COMMISSION SHALL DETERMINE ANY ISSUE OF COVERAGE AND COMPENSABILITY, BUT SHALL NOT CONDUCT A HEARING WITH RESPECT TO NOR RATE A PERMANENT PARTIAL OR PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY OF ANY SUCH PRISONER, OR MAKE AN AWARD TO ANY SUCH PRISONER SO IN-